# **SCIENCE** FICTION

London, Alex

# <u>Proxy</u>

Privileged Syd and and his proxy, Knox, are thrown together to overthrow the system.

# Lowry, Lois

Unlike the other Birthmothers in her utopian community, teenaged Claire forms an attachment to her baby, feeling a great loss when he is taken to the Nurturing Center to be adopted by a family unit.

# Lu, Marie

# <u>Legend</u>

In a dark future, when North America has split into two warring nations, fifteen-year-olds Day, a famous criminal, and June, the brilliant soldier hired to capture him, discover that they have a common enemy.

# Meyer, Marissa

# <u>Cinder</u>

As plague ravages the overcrowded Earth, observed by a ruthless lunar people, Cinder, a gifted mechanic and cyborg, becomes involved with handsome Prince Kai and must uncover secrets about her past in order to protect the world in this futuristic take on the Cinderella story.

# Pearson, Mary E.

# **The Adoration of Jenna Fox**

In the not-too-distant future, when biotechnological advances have made synthetic bodies and brains possible but illegal, a seventeen-year-old girl, recovering from a serious accident and suffering from memory lapses, learns a startling secret about her existence.

# **SCIENCE** FICTION

# Revis. Beth

# **Across the Universe**

Teenaged Amy, a cryogenically frozen passenger on the spaceship Godspeed, wakes up to discover that someone may have tried to murder her.

# Ryan, Amy Kathleen

## Glow

Part of the first generation to be conceived in deep space, fifteen-year-old Waverly is expected to marry young and have children to populate a new planet, but a violent betrayal by the dogmatic leader of their sister ship could have devastating consequences.

# Shatner, William

# Star Trek Academy: Collision Course

Kirk and Spock, graduates from Star Fleet Academy with contrasting personalities, must work together with their crew to defeat an alien captain intent on destroying all intelligent life in the galaxy.

# Testa, Dom

# The Comet's Curse: a Galahad Book

Desperate to save the human race after a comet's deadly particles devastate the adult population, scientists create a ship that will carry a crew of 251 teenagers to a home in a distant solar system.

## Westerfeld, Scott

## Uglies

A few months shy of her sixteenth birthday, when she will be transformed into a "pretty" whose only job is to have a great time, Shay befriends the Crims, a group of teens who refuse to take anything in society at face value.

\*Want more Sci-Fi? Here is a list of Science-Fiction authors in the adult section:

Asimov, Isaac Bradbury, Ray Clarke, Arthur Dick, Philip K. Gibson, William McCaffrey, Anne

Wells, H.G.

# **SCIENCE** FICTION

\*this booklist includes eBooks and eAudiobooks that are available to download from the library website. Questions about how to get started? Ask your librarian. 8/16 AH

# **Teens Read**



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# SCIENCE FICTION

Adams, Douglas

# The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy

Chronicles the off-beat and occasionally extraterrestrial journeys, notions, and acquaintances of galactic traveler Arthur Dent.

Alexander, Jen

# The Aftermath

In a post-apocalyptic world overrun by cannibals and pollution, Claudia endures daily physical and psychological tests in order to survive, while gradually discovering that she has become a pawn in faraway manipulator's game.

Anderson, M.T.

# **Feed**

In a future where most people have computer implants in their heads to control their environment, a boy meets an unusual girl who is in serious trouble.

Card, Orson Scott

# **Ender's Game**

Young Ender Wiggin is recruited into the International fleet's legion of child warriors, and finds himself in the grueling ranks of Battle School as he trains to become a commander in Earth's defenses.

Clayton, Emma

# The Roar

In an overpopulated world where all signs of nature have been obliterated, twelve-year-old Mika refuses to believe that his twin sister was killed after being abducted, and continues to search for her in spite of the dangers he faces in doing so.

# SCIENCE FICTION

Cline, Ernest

# **Ready Player One**

Immersing himself in a technological virtual utopia to escape an ugly real world of famine, poverty, and disease, Wade Watts joins a violent effort to solve a series of puzzles by the virtual world's creator.

Doctorow, Cory

# For the Win

In a future where poor children and teenagers work for corrupt bosses as gold farmers, finding valuable items inside massive multiplayer online games, a small group of teenagers work to unionize and escape this near-slavery.

Freitas, Donna

# <u>Unplugged</u>

Years after being sent by her family to the extravagant virtual App World to live a life of wealth and privilege, Skylar relinquishes the glamour of her expensive downloads in favor of spending time with her family in the Real World, an effort that is dashed when the borders between worlds suddenly close.

Heath, Jack

# The Lab

Far into the future, the world is devastated by pollution, and the single-walled city that remains is controlled entirely by the corrupt ChaoSonic corporation. The only hope for the downtrodden populace is the Deck, a secret organization that's sworn to take down ChaoSonic -- and whose best operative is a product of ChaoSonic's lab, genetically enhanced Agent Six of Hearts.

Heath, Jack

# Remote Control

Teenaged agent Six of Hearts is suspected of being a double agent, which has him on the run from his fellow agents at the Deck as he also tries to track down his brother's kidnappers.

# SCIENCE FICTION

Herbert, Frank

# <u>Dune</u>

Set on the desert planet Arrakis, this is the story of the boy Paul Atreides, who would become the mysterious man known as Muad'Dib, avenge the traitorous plot against his noble family, and bring to fruition humankind's most ancient and unattainable dream.

Kincaid, S.J.

# **Insignia Trilogy** series

Tom, a fourteen-year-old genius at virtual reality games, is recruited by the United States Military to begin training at the Pentagon Spire as a Combatant in World War III, controlling the mechanized drones that do the actual fighting off-planet.

Kostick, Conor

# **Epic** series

In the virtual world of Edda, ruler Scanthax decides he wants to invade another virtual world, embroiling the universes of Edda, Saga, and Epic in war, with only three teenagers to try to restore peace.

Lee. Fonda

# Zeroboxer

As seventeen-year-old Carr 'the Raptor' Luka rises to fame in the weightless combat sport of zeroboxing, he learns a devastating secret that jeopardizes not only his future in the sport, but interplanetary relations.

Llovd. Saci

# **The Carbon Diaries 2015**

In 2015, when England becomes the first nation to introduce carbon dioxide rationing in a drastic bid to combat climate change, sixteen-year-old Laura documents the first year of rationing as her family spirals out of control.